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PROPERTY OWNERS in the Sanitary  
Board Room on MONDAY, May 18th, at  
3 p.m., for the purpose of considering Sec-  
tions 45 and 184 of Ordinance 1 of 1903.  
By Order,  
G. A. WOODCOCK,  
Secretary.

Sanitary Board Room,  
May 9, 1903. 1010

NOTICE.

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Swatow, May 2, 1903. 958

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MRS. WATLING,  
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Hongkong, October 23, 1902. 2172

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Hongkong, May 5, 1903. 978

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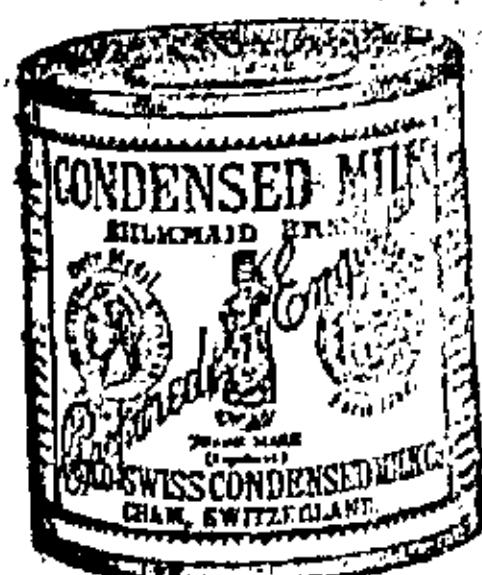
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## Intimations.

## NOTICE.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER  
OF COMMERCE

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING  
of the MEMBERS of the HONGKONG  
GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
will be held on TUESDAY, the  
13th MAY 1933, at 3.30 p.m., at the  
CHAMBER ROOM, City Hall, for the  
following purposes:—

1. To receive the Report and Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1932.
2. To pass the proposed New Rules and By-Laws.
3. To transact any other business in accordance with the terms of By-Law V.

By Order,  
A. R. LOWE  
Secretary.

Hongkong, May 12, 1933. 1028

THE "STAR" FERRY COMPANY,  
LIMITED.

## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIFTH ORDINARY ANNUAL  
MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS  
in the above Company will be held at the  
COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 2, Connaught  
Road, at Noon, on WEDNESDAY, the  
20th MAY, for the purpose of receiving the  
Report of the Directors, with a Statement  
of Accounts to 31st April, 1933.  
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company  
will be CLOSED from the 15th to the  
20th MAY, both days inclusive.

R. J. MACGOWAN,  
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, May 9, 1933. 1003



PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF  
HONGKONG, No. 1,165, E.C.

A REGULAR MEETING of the above  
LODGE will be held in the FREE-  
MASON'S HALL, Zetland Street, on  
SATURDAY, the 16th Instant, at 8.30 for  
9.00 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren  
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Hongkong, May 12, 1933. 1027

## THE MUTUAL STORES.

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Hongkong, April 28, 1933. 941

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Hongkong, December 13, 1932. 2024

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11.30 a.m. to 12.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

12.45 p.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

1.45 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

2.15 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

3.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

5.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes.

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Hongkong, December 17, '31. 1061

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5 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders and Sub-  
scribers of St John's Cathedral at St.  
Paul's College.SATURDAY, May 16:—  
3.30 p.m.—Meeting of Per-Perance  
Lodge at Freemasons' Hall.MONDAY, May 18:—  
3 p.m.—Auction of Crown Lands at the  
Public Works Department's Offices.  
3 p.m.—Meeting of Property Owners at  
Sanitary Board Room.TUESDAY, May 19:—  
3.30 p.m.—Meeting of the Members of  
Hongkong General Chamber of Com-  
merce at Chamber Room, City Hall.WEDNESDAY, May 20:—  
Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders of the  
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**LOCAL AND GENERAL.****Famine in India.**A Simla telegram dated 23rd ult.  
states:—The number of persons under  
famine relief in the Central Provinces rose  
last week to over 5,800.**The Somaliland Campaign.**The initial cost of the Somaliland ex-  
pedition is now estimated at £175,000, of  
which the hospital ship accounts for £25,000  
and the stores, supplies and transport  
animals for £50,000.**The Dukedom of Portland.**Mr Druce, the son of the well-known  
Mrs Druce, who has repeatedly claimed  
the dukedom of Portland for her family, is  
on his way home from Australia to try and  
establish his claim to be the rightful Duke  
of Portland.**The Cattle Trade.**A Wuchow correspondent writes to us  
under date 9th inst.:—The L. M. Customs  
have issued a notification to the effect that  
the export of the red cattle is permissible,  
though that of the water buffaloes is not,  
as the latter are required for tillage.**Plague in Calcutta.**Owing to the increased plague mor-  
tality in Calcutta averaging 150 to 200  
cases daily, the Municipality have decided  
to retain for another year the special  
plague establishment which according to  
the orders of the Government of India  
should be abolished in July next.**Another Trans-Pacific Cable.**A New York telegram states:—A  
Trans-Pacific cable is being projected to  
connect Seattle with Vladivostok, a route  
of Russia on the Japan sea. It is reported  
that some of the foremost capitalists of the  
United States are interested in the scheme,  
and that there is no doubt that the  
enterprise will be carried through.**The Macao Lottery.**The *Singapore Free Press* of the 6th  
inst. states:—The Chinaman who was  
arrested by Sergeant King of the Gam-  
bling Suppression Department for selling  
Macao Lottery Tickets at Chichester-  
street, appeared before Mr Wilkinson yesterday  
afternoon. He was convicted and fined  
\$250 or in default three months. The fine  
was not paid. Mr Whitehead, A.S.P.,  
presided.**An Interesting Discovery.**The *Gleaner* gives an account of an in-  
teresting historical discovery just made at  
Metz, the old citadel of which is being  
dismantled. When, in 1552, Charles  
IX. besieged the capital of Lorraine he  
was compelled to retreat so hastily that  
he left his war-chest behind. It has now  
been unearthed, and has been found to  
contain, in addition to a large sum in gold  
coin, a number of watches, of which the  
king was an enthusiastic collector. The  
treasure-trove is valued at 3,000,000 francs.**Remittent Fever.**The bacteriologist for Singapore will  
shortly arrive here (says the *Singapore Free  
Press*), and will no doubt find plenty to do,  
if only in examining the blood of persons  
suffering from what is called in the returns  
'remittent fever.' In Penang last year  
there were 4,111 deaths, of which 'remittent  
fever' was alleged to be the cause of  
the greatest number, 632; phthisis 587,  
diarrhoea 477, and other fevers 470. The  
Municipal Health Officer in his report writes  
as follows:—"The disease which caused the  
greatest number of deaths was Remittent  
Fever. Lack of knowledge of the exact na-  
ture of the diseases so classified, renders it  
difficult to suggest means of reducing the  
death rate from this cause. A number of  
the cases are doubtless Malarial, others  
Enteric, Phthisis or Pneumonia. Further  
research is required to enable us to find out  
what these Remittent Fevers are, and the  
same may be said with regard to 470  
other fever cases."**Something Wrong.**The *Ostasiatisk Lloyd* publishes the  
following telegram from Hongkong on the  
7th inst.: It would appear that the Editor  
of our Shanghai contemporary has assumed  
that the report on the Straits currency  
applied to Hongkong. The report of the  
Straits Currency commission, which has, at  
the request of the Hongkong Chamber of  
Commerce and the Governor, investigated  
the question of the Hongkong currency  
with a view to its reform on a gold basis,  
has now been received. It is proposed to  
gradually introduce in Hongkong, the  
Straits dollar, which is to be of the same  
weight as the Mexican dollar. After the  
arrival of the first shipment of Straits  
dollars the importation of Mexican dollars  
into the British possessions will be pro-  
hibited. As soon as the currency in  
Hongkong is largely composed of Straits  
dollars, the mints will be closed, till the  
exchange will have reached a point to be  
afterwards determined. Then the silver  
dollars will be exchanged for gold or  
Grown Agent's bills for dollars.**Rheumatism Relieved.**All those afflicted with rheumatism who  
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the pain, and its continued use for a short  
time will result in a cure.  
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flammation sets in, insures a cure in about  
one-third of the time otherwise required.  
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all chemists and medicine vendors; War-  
riss Ltd., General Agents.**LOCAL AND GENERAL.****Notes by the Way.**Justice is probably represented as a  
woman because it is something a man is  
always after.Captain Dreyfus has applied to the  
French Minister of War for a further  
enquiry into his case.On inquest will be held at the Magis-  
tracy, on Thursday next, on the body of the  
native woman who committed suicide in  
one of the police cells, on Friday last.The Viceroy's Staff are presenting a  
Cap for the lady winner of the greatest  
number of events in the gymkhanas at  
Simla between now and the 15th July  
next.The Government of India contract  
with the British India Steam Navigation  
Company Ltd. for the conveyance of stores  
is to be renewed for a further period of ten  
years.There were 337 Europeans and 94  
Chinese visitors to the City Hall Library,  
and 221 European and 2268 Chinese visitors  
to the Museum during the week ending  
10th May.The Japan Tea Exporting Co., in  
Aioichi, Ichino, shipped 23 boxes (1,840  
lbs) of tea to Chicago and the same quan-  
tity to New York by the *Empress of India*  
on the 29th ult. This is the first ship-  
ment of new tea from Kobe this year.Mr H. Schilling, who was employed  
as an adviser to the Japan Imperial  
Forestry Bureau, has sailed for Europe,  
his contract having expired. He was  
decorated by His Majesty the Emperor  
with the insignia of the Third Order of  
Merit. Mr Schilling was also presented  
by His Majesty with a pair of cloisonne  
vases bearing the Chrysanthemum crest.**The Japanese Fleet.**After giving details of the movements  
of Japanese warships, the *Nagasaki Press*  
of the 6th inst. says:—Admiral Hatakai,  
Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese Stand-  
ing Squadron, has assembled the main  
force of the squadron at Sasebo. It is said  
that the vessels are held in readiness for  
any emergencies.**Viceroy Chang Chih-tung.**A Wuchang dispatch to Shanghai  
states that there is no prospect of Viceroy  
Chang Chih-tung ever returning to office  
as Viceroy of the Hukwang provinces  
(Hunan and Hupeh), as news has been  
received from Peking that the Empress  
Dowager has decided to retain His  
Excellency in the Capital, and most likely  
intends to appoint him on his arrival in  
Peking, in addition to the post of Grand  
Councillor, President either of the Ministry  
of Foreign Affairs or of the proposed  
Ministry of Commerce.**The Frost-Bentley Match.**Some particulars having appeared else-  
where regarding a boxing match between  
Frost and Bentley, we are asked to state  
the real facts. It has been stated that  
immediately on the arrival of the *Empress  
of Japan* from Vancouver, Frost challeng-  
ed Bentley, but, as a matter of fact, it was  
one of Bentley's backers who first suggest-  
ed the match to Frost's business manager,  
who, after consultation with Frost, an-  
nounced Frost's willingness to enter  
the ring for \$10,000. The money was  
put up, but Bentley, we are in-  
formed, refused to go on with the match  
because he was not in condition. Frost,  
it may be stated, was in exactly the same  
position, and had not trained on the voyage  
across the Pacific. It is not improbable  
that a match may be arranged for the fall  
of the year.**The Same Old Dodge.**Before Mr F. A. Hazeland, at the  
Magistracy this morning, two natives were  
charged at the instance of Tang Yau, a  
cattle dealer, with stealing \$300, the  
property of the complainant. It appears  
that at about 6.50 a.m. this morning, the  
complainant boarded the *S.S. Folsom*,  
which was about to leave for Canton, and  
spreading out a mat near to that of the two  
defendants, he put down his bundle and  
lay down to rest. After a lapse of about  
two minutes, the first accused approached  
him, and handed him a purse of paper.  
While examining the purse, he was caught  
by the arm, and the first defendant picked  
up the bundle and bolted. He succeeded  
in arresting one of the defendants, and the  
other was afterwards arrested. Mr Haz-  
eland sentenced both prisoners to two  
months' imprisonment.**Rheumatism Relieved.**All those afflicted with rheumatism who  
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one-third of the time otherwise required.  
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all chemists and medicine vendors; War-  
riss Ltd., General Agents.**LOCAL AND GENERAL.****Hospitals.**The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Me-  
morial and Netherdale Hospitals begs to  
acknowledge with thanks the following  
donations to the funds of the Hospitals:—  
H. E. Pollack, K.C. ... 825  
F. X. Almeida do Castro ... 10  
H. K. Holmes ... 10  
Tak Cheong ... 5  
Wang King ... 5**Fire in Aberdeen Street.**Early this morning, a fire broke out at  
No. 11, Aberdeen Street. The building  
contained two floors, the lower being used  
as a confectionery and cigar store, and the  
upper as a common boarding house. The  
Fire Brigade turned out, under Chief In-  
spector Baker, and succeeded in confining  
the flames to the ground floor, where it  
originated. The damage done, both by  
water and fire, is estimated at \$400,  
and is not covered by insurance.**The Word 'Joss.'**It is a mistake to suppose that "joss"  
is a Chinese word, says a retired ship's  
carpenter to a representative of a home  
paper. "I've travelled a good bit in the  
Orient in my time, and among the odds  
and ends of interesting information I  
picked up was a knockout of the genuineness  
of "joss," as a Chinese word. Chinese  
men only know "joss" when they come  
in contact with Europeans. A Chinese  
priest in Hankow told me that there  
was no such word in Chinese. He  
explained that the word was a corruption  
of the Spanish word "Dios," and had come  
into use through the missionaries. Many  
early missionaries, he said, were Spanish  
priests, and their pronunciation of "Dios,"  
was speedily corrupted into "joss" by  
native tongues and applied to the Chinese  
deities. It is only on the Chinese seaboard  
that the word is understood by Chinamen.  
In the interior, the priest told me, the  
Celestials had no knowledge of it."**Rabies at Shanghai.**It will be learnt with general satis-  
faction (says the *N.C. Daily News*) that  
the Council is again taking vigorous  
measures for the extermination of rabies,  
which is increasingly prevalent here. All  
unmuzzled dogs, and dogs wearing in-  
effective muzzles, are to be seized and shot;  
and their owners, when identified, pro-  
secuted. Rabid dogs, notwithstanding the  
precautions taken by the Council, have so  
increased in number, especially in the  
Bubbling Well district, that the Council is  
calling in the assistance of selected mem-  
bers of the Volunteer Corps who, with shot-  
guns, will endeavour to reduce the number  
of unmuzzled dogs in the Settlement and  
its outskirts. Under these circumstances,  
it is advisable that every dog-owner in  
Shanghai should not only see that his dog  
is muzzled, but that for the present it  
should not be allowed to go loose, since  
it is liable to be bitten by an infected dog,  
and thus spread the disease. The matter  
is becoming exceedingly serious, and the  
co-operation of all residents in Shanghai is  
essential, if an improvement is to be  
brought about. Rabies is such a terrible  
disease in itself, and in the dread that it  
inspires, that no measures taken to check  
it can be deemed superfluous, and it must  
be remembered that leading an unmuzzled  
dog does not necessarily prevent his biting.**Importation of Arms into China.**The Peking correspondent of the *Times*  
telegraphed on 8th ult.:—Telegrams state  
that the Russian Ambassador in Washing-  
ton suggests the co-operation of the  
Powers to prevent the importation of arms  
into China. It is necessary to recall that  
the insertion of the clause of the protocol  
forbidding the importation of arms and  
material used exclusively in the manufac-  
ture of arms was strenuously supported by  
Russia, who desired to increase the term of  
prohibition to five years. The prohibition  
ends on August 25 next, but can be re-  
imposed if the Powers consider it necessary.  
The effect of the prohibition has been to  
give a great impulse to home manufac-  
ture. Every arsenal in the Empire is in  
the possession of the Chinese is working  
at full activity. The Powers do not  
protest, because it is generally con-  
sidered unreasonable to hold China re-  
sponsible for the maintenance of order and  
yet to deprive her of the possession of  
weapons wherewith to maintain it. Since  
the prohibition there has been much activity  
in clandestine importation. In every case  
yet discovered Germans have been con-  
cerned. German arms agents are active in  
many provinces, presumably with the  
approval of the German Government.  
Within the last year a well-known firm of  
German arms importers has completely  
equipped the new arsenal at Fu-chau, with  
the knowledge and presumably the approval  
of Dr Knappke, the German Consul-General  
at Shanghai. The trade in arms is almost  
entirely in German hands; one important  
German firm at Hongkong has 10,000  
Mausers, imported before the Boxer  
trouble, which are ready for sale as soon as  
the prohibition is removed.If the blood is diseased the body is dis-  
eased. Remember that the blood, whether pure  
or impure, circulates through the organs of the  
human body—Lungs, Heart, Stomach, Kidney,  
Brain. It is laden with poisonous matter, is  
spread disease on its course. Cures of Sci-  
entific, Bury, Ecstasy, Bad Legs, Skin and Blood  
Diseases, Pimples, and Sores of all kinds the  
effects of Clark's Blood Mixture are marvellous.  
Thousands of wonderful cures have been effected  
by Clark's Blood Mixture. It is sold every-  
where at 25 cts. per bottle. Beware of cheap  
less imitations and substitutes.**LOCAL AND GENERAL.****The Plague.**Fourteen cases of plague were reported  
during the past twenty-four hours to noon  
to-day. With the exception of an Indian,  
residing at No. 18 Leighton Hill Road, all  
the cases were Chinese. One body was  
found in a dingy at Causeway Bay, one in  
a latrine at Nuliah Lane, and one in a ditch  
near Un Chan Village.**The Shanghai 'Champions.'**The following is the *N.C. Daily News*  
description of the race for the Champion  
Stakes at the Shanghai Race Meeting on  
the 7th inst.:—The fourteen Champions  
took a lot of getting into position for the  
great race of the meeting and *Gadfly* was  
up to his usual restless ways. It was,  
however, a very level start to which the  
flag fell. *Folsom*, *Manchu*, *Set*, *The Dealer*.  
was the order passing the stand the first  
time, but before Loongfei was reached *The  
Dealer* had gone into first place, with  
*Folsom* second, *Set* third and *Palka* run-  
ning fourth on the outside. The back  
straight was entered in the same order,  
but midway along *Set* took second place  
from *Folsom*, and *Gadfly* came up into the  
fourth position. *The Dealer* still led at the  
Corner, with *Folsom*, *Set*, *Gadfly* and  
*Redi King* following in the order named.  
This was still the order at the Monument,  
but just afterwards *Folsom* was obviously  
outclassed, while *Gadfly* came rapidly  
through and headed *The Dealer*. *Algerine*  
slowed up for a moment, but his effort  
died away. *Gadfly*, splendidly ridden by  
Mr Dietrich, came down the straight well  
ahead and won most easily by five lengths.  
*The Dealer* was second, beating *Folsom*  
by a length; *Redi King* was fourth, and  
*Vancouver* fifth. Time, 2 mins. 53 secs.**Abandoning Compositors.**At the Magistracy, this morning, Mr T.  
H. Reid prosecuted Kwok A Fook, com-  
positor, for absconding himself from work  
on Saturday afternoon, the 10th inst.  
Accused pleaded he had a sore foot, and  
Mr F. A. Hazeland decided to hear  
evidence. Mr T. Rutherford, overseer,  
China Mail Office, stated that the accused  
was one of seven men, who absented them-  
selves from work on Saturday afternoon,  
without leave. In consequence, the publi-  
cation of the paper was delayed by two  
hours, and matter that should have appeared  
in Saturday's issue had to be left out. He  
believed the men stayed away, after con-  
sultation among themselves, because their  
wages had not been paid that day. It was  
not known who was the ringleader of the  
movement, but the accused had been select-  
ed for prosecution because he had habitually  
stayed away from work without leave dur-  
ing the past three months. In February,  
he was absent 2 days, in March 14 days,  
and in April 18 days. The men did not  
ask for their wages, but if they had done so  
the wages would have been paid, and were  
paid on Monday morning. Mr Reid stated  
that some years ago it had been the custom  
to pay the men their wages about the 14th  
day of each month. In recent years, how-  
ever, the wages were paid between the 7th  
and the 10th. On Saturday last, he was  
away from the office part of the day, and  
was prevented, by unforeseen circumstances,  
from going over the wages book. The men  
had been giving a considerable amount of  
trouble in the newspaper offices during the  
last two years, and had taken to absconding  
themselves from work whenever they liked  
without notice or leave. As His Worship  
would see, this was a very serious matter  
in a newspaper office, and he asked that a  
substantial penalty should be imposed in  
the present case. His Worship assented  
that it was a case deserving adequate punish-  
ment, and ordered the accused to pay a fine  
of \$25 or go to prison for six weeks.**WEATHER REPORT.**The following notice is issued by the  
Hongkong Observatory:—On the 13th at 11.25 a.m. The barometer  
has fallen considerably over the E. coast  
of China, Japan and the Loochoos owing to  
the depression, which passed out to Sea to  
the S. of Shanghai during the night and is  
now moving towards S.W. coast of Japan.  
S.W. winds changing to N.E. and fresh-  
ening in the Formosa Channel. Moderate  
S.W. winds over the N. part of the China  
Sea.  
Forecast:—S.W. to N.W. winds,  
moderate or fresh; equally, thunderstorms.**Temperature.**

Hongkong, May 13, 1903.

BAROMETER—9 a.m. ... 29.81  
Do. 1 p.m. ... 29.80  
Do. 4 p.m. ... 29.76  
THERMOMETER—9 a.m. ... 79  
Do. 1 p.m. ... 78  
Do. 4 p.m. ... 77  
Do. (Wet bulb) 9 a.m. ... 70  
Do. Do. 1 p.m. ... 70  
Do. Do. 4 p.m. ... 75  
Do. Maximum ... 79  
Do. Minimum overnight ... 77**Natural Modesty.**THE natural modesty of many people  
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and medicine vendors; Warriss Ltd.,  
General Agents.**TELEGRAMS.****[REUTERS SERVICE.]****THE NEAR EAST.**

London, May 11, 1903.

Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria has made  
a statement in Paris disclaiming respon-  
sibility for the Macedonian agitation and  
the Salonika outrages. He declared that  
the Bulgarians would not risk abating the  
fate of the Greeks at Thessaly in the Turco-  
Greek war.There is a general consensus of opinion  
that the chief danger in the Balkans has  
arisen from the growing exasperation of  
Bulgaria and Turkey against each other.**ATTEMPTED BOMB OUTRAGE****ON AN AMERICAN LYNCH.**Just before the Commander of the *Unbrink*  
left New York, the police seized a box  
containing 100 lbs. of dynamite, with com-  
plicated machinery, which was working.  
The box was delivered by Italians, and it  
is supposed to be a 'Mafia' plot to destroy  
the English liner.**RUSSIA AND MANCHURIA.**Lord Cranborne said that Russia, in  
replying to the friendly communications of  
the American and British Governments,  
during the last few days, had intimated  
that she adheres to her engagements re-  
garding the evacuation of Manchuria, al-  
though the evacuation is temporarily de-  
layed; that as no measures for excluding  
Foreign Consuls or obstructing commerce  
or the use of ports is intended, there is no  
reason for concerted action by Great  
Britain, the United States and Japan.**[N.C. DAILY NEWS SERVICE.]****THE MARQUIS ITO AS****PACIFICATOR.**

Tokyo, May 8.

At the general meeting of the members  
of the Seiyukai, Marquis Ito declared that  
nothing was more injurious to the national  
interests of Japan than frequent changes of  
Ministry, and there had been an average of  
one change a year since the war between  
China and Japan. Therefore, while mak-  
ing no sacrifice of his political views, he  
had lent his aid to effect an *entente*, on the  
basis of preserving the naval programme  
without recourse to increased taxation of  
any kind; but this arrangement was purely  
personal, and did not affect in any way  
whatever the freedom of the Legislature  
and Executive.The speech of the Marquis was excellent-  
ly received, and even the extremists  
refrained from pressing their proposal to  
hold the Cabinet responsible for the dis-  
solution; there is therefore every prospect  
of a quiet session.  
The co-operation between the Seiyukai  
and the Progressists is now ended.**THE EVACUATION OF****MANCHURIA.**The National Unionists have telegraphed  
in the name of Prince Konoye to T.E.  
Viceroy Yuan Shi-kai and Chang Chih-  
tung, advising the immediate opening of  
Manchuria. They also advise the grant of  
a concession, for a railway from Wiji in  
Corea to Newchwang, to an Anglo-Japanese-  
American syndicate.Telegrams continue to reach Japan an-  
nouncing the absence of all steps to evacuate  
Manchuria.**TURKEY AND BULGARIA.**



## THE KWANGSI FAMINE.

Letter from Rev Mr. Fee.

The following letter has been received from Rev J. E. Fee, of the Christian and Missionary Alliance, by Hon. Gershom Stewart, Hon. Secretary of the Kwangsi Famine Fund. The first 150 pounds of rice arrived at Kwai Ping at 10 a.m. on the 7th inst. —

Kwai Ping, May 5th, 1903.

Gershom Stewart, Esq.

Dear Sir, — For several days, we have desired to send you a few lines, telling of the 'Famine Relief,' but as the numbers have increased so rapidly, we have been unable to undertake the work, and therefore have had to delay writing.

First we wish to thank those who have so promptly and ably undertaken the continuing of the work when it had grown beyond what we could carry on, and now the starving people have more to hope for. When Mr Clement was here, he was full of what he saw and what had been done up to that time, so we will only give you an account of what has been done since that time. Mr Clement watched the people as they came in and went out of the building where we distribute rice, and after we had finished that day's work, said there was only one thing he had to suggest, and that was that we give a little more rice to those who seemed more needy. This we had long desired to do, seeing that many who had been coming to us for weeks were not gaining as we wished they might, and some were even growing weaker, but we had not sufficient money to warrant our doing it, so had to give less than we really felt was needed to sustain life. Since we have given a larger portion, the numbers have increased very materially, for two reasons, first because of the larger portion, and secondly because the rice planting is all finished, and many who while thus engaged had at least food provided, now have nothing to eat and no way of earning money to procure even the bare necessities of life. On Saturday, May 2nd, the crowd was so large that we were utterly unable to get them into the premises provided, so at a moment's notice, the Prefect gave us the use of his Yamen courtyard for that day, and we all felt that on the next day, May 5th, we must give only to women and children, and on the 6th, to the men, so today we gave to between five and six thousand, and to-morrow the men are to get their share. The severity of the famine is no doubt increasing, as the price of rice is higher than it was even a few weeks ago, and the farmers have, as yet, nothing coming in to help them a little. Business is very poor, and the city people are also in great need. For these reasons a number of help, as the gentry are giving to those whose names were given in on a certain date, and are known to be residents. But even here there are many whose relatives would not allow them to register their names and thus disgrace the family name, and again some have not been here long and cannot get help.

The Cantonese merchants in this city have bought some rice and are to begin distributing to-morrow. They have to-night been in to consult with us about the matter, as they had expected to alternate with us, one distributing on the odd days and the other on the even days, but since the crowd is so large we decided that they give to the men, and we to the women and children.

Wednesday evening.

The merchants have had their first day's experience, and the number of men was fully double what it was on any previous day, and to-day the magistrate recommended our moving to another premises which is twice as large as the one we have been using, and said he would attend to the moving of the matches already stocked.

According to the number of people who were coming when Mr Clement was here the one hundred and fifty pounds per week would have been sufficient, but now that so many more are coming, we would like to ask that the Committee keep this in mind, as we believe Mr Clement will see the urgent need of more rice and will ask you to let us have more. Some time ago, the smaller gifts that came to be sent for to continue the distribution, but these, even in the past week, have been quite insufficient, and had it not been for what you sent by the Hongkong Bank we would have had to cease the distribution.

H.B.M. Consul Mr. Fox, sent a telegram on Sunday saying that the rice left Yehow that morning, and we have been expecting it yesterday or to-day, but as yet have had no word of its having arrived.

Mr. Clement sent us word that four hundred and fifty pounds are to be sent for Kwai Ping (or Kwai Hsien), but the need here is fully greater than in that city, only the district magistrate there took hold of the matter in real earnest, while the magistrates who were here at that time had very little interest, as he was leaving for another place. The new official is awake to the fact that death is actually staring many of his people in the face, and he has shown a real interest in the work during these few days since he entered upon the new office.

There is another Un (Hsien) city about thirty miles East of here where Mr Clement expects to visit on his return from Nanning, which is suffering very much, and reports these few days are that many are dying and no help is in view except what your representative may be able to do. We mention this that you may be better informed and possibly be prepared to send help as soon as definite word be sent by Mr Clement.

Thanking you for all that is being done, I remain,

Yours respectfully,

Rev. J. E. FEE.

## Optim Quotations.

HONGKONG, May 13, 1903.

New Pattern, cash	1000
Old Pattern, cash	995
New Pattern, cash	995
Old Pattern, cash	1020/1030
Allowance, Tael	1000/1000
Last Year, Allowance	1000/1000
Old Pattern, cash	1000/1000
Allowance, Tael	1000/1000
Persian, Oily, cash	700
Allowance, Tael	700
Persian, Paper, cash	700
Allowance, Tael	700

## CANTON NOTES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

CANTON, May 11.

## AN ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.

The American-China Development Company are now making a complete survey of Canton City and suburbs with a view to the construction of an electric tramway around the City. This comes naturally, almost necessarily, with the railway. It will bring all parts of the city into direct communication with the main terminus of the Hongkong line, if we ever have it. It is pleasant to contemplate the changes that this innovation will bring about. An elevated line, I presume, is the only possibility unless the promised bond is used. At any rate we shall be able to get about the City, at more than a snail's pace. Soon, it is hoped, there will be more varied and less confined recreation than one can now enjoy. A pleasure park does not seem to be a very remote possibility. It does not require the vision of a prophet to see that congested Canton will soon spread more and more into the surrounding territory. A ride around the route of the electric tramway will be a most delightful change for us, who live in this great metropolis. And so best wishes are with the promoters of this enterprise.

## UNCLE SAM TO THE RESCUE.

Consul-General McWade has received authorization from the State Department to draw \$500,000 U.S. Currency, for the benefit of the Kwangsi Famine sufferers, and I understand that this is only one of several contributions. Mr. McWade is Vice-President of the Citizen's Relief Association of Philadelphia, a permanent organization for the relief of suffering in any part of the world. Since 1879, the date of its establishment, it has distributed millions to sufferers from famine, earthquake, and flood. I am not informed whether or not this contribution is from that Society.

## A CLEAN FIGHT ON HONAM ISLAND.

The distant sound of rifles and the heavier boom of cannon was heard in Canton this morning. I subsequently heard that a fight, I might say battle, was going on between two villages on Honam Island, about 15 minutes' walk from the foreign cemetery. A feud has existed for many years which originated in connection with the Dragon Boat festival boat races. The present fight commenced yesterday afternoon. I have not been able to learn the immediate occasion. Both sides have several hundred foreign rifles—Mauvins, I understand—besides a number of larger arms. Many people are witnessing the fight from neighbouring heights. It is impossible to learn the casualties at this time. 'Neither side will ever tell,' a Chinaman said to me, 'for they do not want the other side to say, 'we won.' So the dead are buried as soon after they are killed as possible. Special compensation is made to the immediate families of those who are killed. I presume the officials will step in and restore order after the fight is over.

## A GOLD STANDARD FOR CHINA.

Mr. G. Vigna del Ferro writes as follows to the N. O. Daily News:—

I had the opportunity of perusing a plan of 15 articles published some time ago by the Peking and Tientsin Times on 'The Gold Standard without a Gold Currency in China,' and I am glad to see that this plan coincides in many points with the letter I had the pleasure of publishing in your columns in February last. The points we agree upon are:—

- 1.—That a National Bank (I called it a State Bank) should be established with its head office in Shanghai and branch offices in three or four ports.
- 2.—That a silver currency of National tael coins should be instituted.
- 3.—That the minting of Chinese dollars should cease.
- 4.—That the exclusive right to mint silver coins should be vested in the National Bank.
- 5.—That the National Bank be authorized to issue notes, repayable on demand in the new tael coins, provided a sufficient reserve in bullion (say 50 per cent of the note issue) is kept in hand.
- 6.—That the National Bank should be managed by skilled foreign bankers, etc.
- 7.—That in order to guarantee the maintenance of the necessary cash reserves in the vault of the Bank the Inspector-General of Customs shall deputize officers to periodically inspect, etc.

This last article was not pointed out by me, because in my letter I proposed that the Bank should be started by the Customs Bank which, with a small outlay, might establish branch offices, not only in Peking, Hankow, Canton, and Tientsin but in all the other open ports of the Empire.

But the difference between my modest letter and this plan lies only in one main point. The author of the plan, published by the P. and T. Times, does not say in what way he would supply the bullion for the cash reserve (such a big amount as will represent the 50 per cent of the notes issued). This, according to my idea, is the corner stone of the whole office, the reliable standing basis of this important question. In my letter I tried to offer a solution to come out of the difficulty, but of course that could only be realised should the National Bank be started by the Imperial Customs.

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## PERTINENT QUARRIES.

Why did H.E. the Governor undertake to relieve the distress in Kwangsi without more regard to H. B. M. Consul General in Canton, who is the recognised medium of communication with the high Chinese authorities in the Two Kwang?

Why do the Chinese officials, as a body, command so little confidence and so much suspicion both as to the causes and relief of famines?

Why do the Foreign Communities of Hongkong and Canton, whose cheerful and ready generosity is a historical tradition, fight shy of subscription lists for the Kwangsi Famine Fund?

Why did the responsible authorities in Hongkong allow an inflammable match and a contractor's wood-yard, stacked with pine, to be placed so near to the Piquette Hospital?

Why does the Sanitary Authority permit the shirking of plain duty on the part of the Scavenging Contractor on the Peak? and Why is it householders on the Peak levels, and not the Officers of the Board, are the first to complain of the disgraceful neglect of duty?

Why did the Secretary of the Sanitary Board succeed so well in clouding in obscurity the scope and object of the meeting of property-owners called at the Board Offices?

Why did Mr. Fung Wah Chuan, when advocating impartial action in closing Chinese and Foreign Theatres, overlook the fact that 999 out of every thousand victims of the Plague are Asiatics, and not Europeans?

Why is the Jubilee Hospital, the building which assumes so fine and commanding a position on the Peak, not to be ready for use until nearly the end of the year?

Why do the sentences passed by the Junior Magistrate upon Chinese prisoners seem to be so sadly inadequate as a deterrent?

Why cannot the Executive hit upon some plan to clip the wings of the Quilts, and thereby remove some of the disabilities and hardships which surround the labour question?

Why do not the Government take action to remedy the most objectionable features of the domestic servant question, and of the conduct of ricksha and chair-coolies, who now seem to be more like employers than employees?

Why is so little progress being made with the new Law Courts, the Post Office, and other public buildings? and Why do not the powers that be take the bull by the horns?

Why is it that those who govern this Colony do not seek to find a remedy for many of the trivial and industrial troubles connected with building and labour?

Why should the dread of Russian aggression be a continual menace to other Powers, if the assurances of the neatly-worded, diplomatic disclaimers are to be believed?

Why should every well-informed Russian Foreigner disbelieve in every single utterance by Russia in favour of the 'open door'?

Why? Oh why?

## QUERIST.

## REVIEWS.

By THE RAMPARTS OF JERUSALEM. By Arnold Davenport. Longmans and Co. (For-warded by Kelly and Walsh).

Wars and rumours of wars, passion, intrigue, patriotism, treachery, bloodshed, idolatry and fanaticism all do their deadly work round the ramparts of the beleaguered city. Elisha, the seer of Israel; Jezabab, the wonderful Lady of Enchantments; Jehu, who drove furiously; Hazael, the King of Syria; Gehazi, the leper who as snow, are all characters in this book, through the pages of which a pathetic love story runs and gives a touch of nature to what would otherwise have been a too realistic picture of the times, for page after page is full of stirring and vividly-written scenes of battle and slaughter.

These things were so in very truth, the book is not of the ordinary run, and is interesting as a faithful record of the times of Bible History.

CHINA COASTERS. By 'Dolly,' author of 'Tales of Hongkong.' Hongkong, Shanghai, Yokohama and Singapore: Kelly and Walsh, Limited.

The author of these short stories has a facile pen and a perennial flow of invention. The best of the collection is 'Sky Pilot Luck,' and with a little more attention to detail it could have been made better than it is. There are reminiscences of W. W. Jacobs, the late Bret Harte and even of Kipling in the present volume, but in this instance the imitation falls far below the originals. Especially is this the case with 'When the Devil was Sick,' which is imitative of the Master's 'Macandrew's Prayer.' We admire 'Dolly's' pluck and persistence and have no doubt he has a large following of admirers in his own honourable profession; but we would advise him, if he wishes to shine as a literary star, to put his pen to rest and to turn to some other occupation.

The man who is his own best friend has few others.

## LATE TELEGRAMS.

## Gold Loan for Mexico.

New York, May 6.—The government of Mexico is seeking a loan on a gold basis to float the national indebtedness. The action is made necessary by the recent change to a gold standard by the republic. The finances of the country have not yet gotten settled after the change of standards. President Diaz and his advisers are hopeful for a stable currency and a corresponding revival of trade when the change is fully effected.

## The Ascending Princess.

New York, May 6.—A Berlin Dispatch says that the Crown Princess Louise of Saxony has given birth to a daughter. The mother and child are doing well. Princess Louise asserts that the child is the issue of her marriage with Crown Prince Louis. She has been in the public eye a great deal during the last year on account of the unfortunate breach between herself and the Prince and her subsequent marriage with Mr. Giron, the tutor of her children.

## 9000 Peasants Massacred.

New York, May 7.—Advice received from Vienna reports the massacre of 9000 peasants and villagers by the Turks at Novilazar, a mountain village in Bosnia over the border from Monte Negro. The massacre was characterized by the most brutal and atrocious excesses. It is believed that Austria and Russia will call the Sultan to account for the outrage, but no definite action has been announced. (Bosnia is at present a Turkish province administered by Austria.) The Turks form a small part of the population which is chiefly Slavonian. The religion is divided between the Greek and Roman church and Slavonic Mohammedans acquired at the time of the Ottoman conquest.

## The Near East Difficulty.

New York, May 8.—A Vienna Dispatch brings the information generally expected in diplomatic circles, that Russia has returned the Turkish ultimatum defiantly. An invasion of Turkey is expected. The situation is regarded as very grave.

London, April 17.—General Pionear, who in 1902 surrendered with 1200 men to the British at Port of Spain, who had been since interned in Portugal, was lately in monetary difficulties. He came to London, and was treated so generously that he shed tears of gratitude at Mr. Chamberlain's kindness in assisting him and his family back to Johannesburg, and reinstating him in the possession of nine townships.

## Helping Destitute Boers.

The Transvaal Government after the beginning of June, will cease supplying hampers with ration, implements, and stock on credit. The Government offers destitute Boers employment on public works.

## Tuberculosis.

Professor D. J. Hamilton, of Aberdeen University, and Dr. M. Young, have made an investigation with a view to testing Professor Koch's theory that bovine tuberculosis is communicable to man. They have prepared the human tuberculosis is communicable to cattle.

## Whitaker Wright.

The case of Whitaker Wright, of the London and Globe Finance Corporation, who is now under arrest at New York on a charge of being a fugitive from justice, was again before the New York Police Court yesterday.

Evidence on behalf of the British Government, which is applying for his extradition, was given, stating that an unsigned message from Wormley was sent to him at Haver, saying 'Things looking bad.' Wright afterwards telegraphed to his wife: 'Give Florence \$500.'

## German Militarism.

Hartman, an artilleryman at Josen, failed to salute a naval lieutenant named Huesemann, who thereupon killed him with a sword thrust.

## Canada's Large Surplus.

The surplus of Canadian revenue over ordinary expenditure amounts to 13,350,000 dollars, (\$29,670,000), enabling provision to be made for the liquidation of all capital expenditure and the reduction of the Dominion's debt by 5,650,000 dollars. (\$11,300,000).

## The Plague in India.

Simla, April 22.—The reduction reported in plague mortality last week has not been maintained, the returns for the seven days ending the 12th inst. being issued showing that the total of deaths has risen to 32,150, the Punjab reporting an increase of 5,000 and the United Provinces of 1,000. The totals for the various localities were: The Punjab 18,488; the United Provinces 4,382; the Bombay Presidency 3,812; Bengal 2,943; Bombay City 1,331; Karachi 176; the Central Provinces 480; Mysore 77; the Madras Presidency 133; Hyderabad 120; Benar 101; Central India 312; Kashmir 19; Rajputana 81, and Baluchistan 1.

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A. BRYER, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, May 13, 1903. 1031

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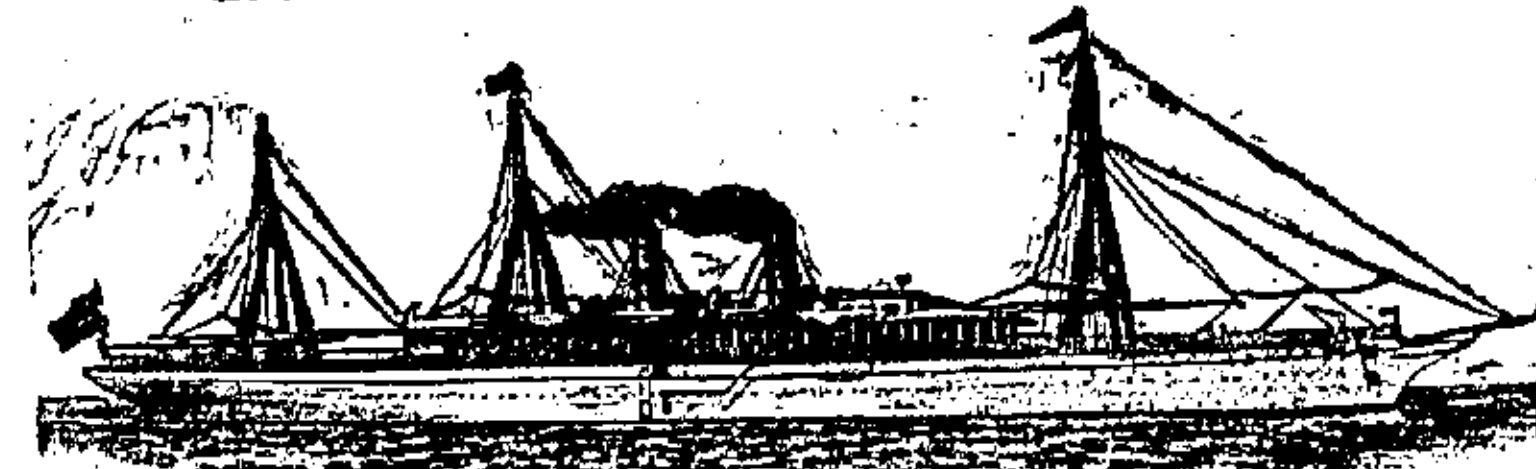
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R.M.S. <i>EMPEROR OF INDIA</i>	6000	WEDNESDAY	June 24
R.M.S. <i>TARTAR</i>	4425	WEDNESDAY	July 22
R.M.S. <i>EMPEROR OF CHINA</i>	6000	WEDNESDAY	Aug. 5
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## OUTWARDS.

FROM	STEAMERS	DATE
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	ALCINOUS	14 May.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	ANTHONY	25th May.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	PELUS	1st June.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	YAKOBE	4th June.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	OSAPACK	9th June.

The S.S. ALCINOUS left Singapore on 9th inst., and is due here on 14th inst.

## HOMEWARDS

## LONDON BERTH.

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
LIVERPOOL, VIA GENOA	AGAMEMNON	16th May.
LONDON	PATROCLOS	16th May.
LONDON	ALCINOUS	25th May.
LIVERPOOL, VIA GENOA	ANTHONY	1st June.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP	ALCINOUS	23rd June.
MARSEILLES, LONDON & ANTWERP	YAKOBE	7th July.

The S.S. AGAMEMNON left Shanghai this morning, and is due here 15th inst.

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FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
VICTORIA, SEATTLE, TACOMA, and all PACIFIC COAST PORTS, VIA N'KI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	ALAN	13th May.

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Hongkong, May 13, 1903.

## CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
KOBE	CHANGHUA	14th May.
SHANGHAI	FEICHOW	15th May.
YUNNAN	YUNNAN	18th May.
CEBU AND LOILO	KYUNANG	18th May.
SAMARANG & SOURABAYA	YUNNAN	20th May.
MANILA	SUNGLANG	22nd May.
THURSDAY ISLAND, COOK TOWN, CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE	THINAN	22nd May.

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N.B.—CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL PLACES.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

Steamers	Sailing Dates
WEDNESDAY, 13th May.	WEDNESDAY, 13th May.
THURSDAY, 14th May.	THURSDAY, 14th May.
FRIDAY, 15th May.	FRIDAY, 15th May.
SATURDAY, 16th May.	SATURDAY, 16th May.
SUNDAY, 17th May.	SUNDAY, 17th May.
MONDAY, 18th May.	MONDAY, 18th May.
TUESDAY, 19th May.	TUESDAY, 19th May.
WEDNESDAY, 20th May.	WEDNESDAY, 20th May.
THURSDAY, 21st May.	THURSDAY, 21st May.
FRIDAY, 22nd May.	FRIDAY, 22nd May.
SATURDAY, 23rd May.	SATURDAY, 23rd May.
SUNDAY, 24th May.	SUNDAY, 24th May.
MONDAY, 25th May.	MONDAY, 25th May.
TUESDAY, 26th May.	TUESDAY, 26th May.
WEDNESDAY, 27th May.	WEDNESDAY, 27th May.
THURSDAY, 28th May.	THURSDAY, 28th May.
FRIDAY, 29th May.	FRIDAY, 29th May.
SATURDAY, 30th May.	SATURDAY, 30th May.
SUNDAY, 31st May.	SUNDAY, 31st May.

\* Steamers of the Hamburg-Amerika Linie.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of May, 1903, at Noon, the Steamship

BAYERN, of the NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, Captain H. LEBER, with

MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, on Monday, the 11th May, Cargo

and Specie will be received on Board until 5 p.m. on Tuesday, the 12th May, and

Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until Noon on Tuesday, the 12th May.

Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than

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NAVIGATION COMPANY

WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATE named—

FOR	STEAMSHIP	CAPTAIN	DATE
YMA, VIA SHAI, MOJI	Canton	C. F. LOCKSTONE, R.R.R.	About May 20.
AND KOBE	Chusan	C. L. DANIEL	About May 22.
SHANGHAI	Bengal	A. L. VALENTINI	May 23, at Noon.

\* See Special Advertisement.

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PERLA	1880	J. McGinty	"	"

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General Managers.

Hongkong, May 9, 1903.

## OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

FOR	STEAMERS	LEAVING
ANPING, VIA SWATOW AND AMOY	MAIDZURU MARU	WEDNESDAY, 18th May.
FOOCHOW, VIA SWATOW AND AMOY	ANPING MARU	WEDNESDAY, 18th May.
TAMSAI, VIA SWATOW AND AMOY	T. Goto	20th May.
TAMSAI, VIA SWATOW AND AMOY	DAIJI MARU	SUNDAY 24th May.
TAMSAI, VIA SWATOW AND AMOY	T. Goto	"
TAMSAI, VIA SWATOW AND AMOY	DAIJI MARU	"
TAMSAI, VIA SWATOW AND AMOY	T. W. Groves	"

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T. ARIMA, MANAGER.

Hongkong, May 13, 1903.

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THE Company's Steamship Captain GUERRE, will be despatched for the above ports on or about SATURDAY, the 16th May.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, May 12, 1903. 1017

FOR NEW YORK VIA PORTS.

THE H. A. L. Steamship NUBIA, Captain von HERR, will be despatched for the above ports on SUNDAY, the 31st May.

For Freight, apply to HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE, Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, April 30, 1902.

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE D. L. Steamship Sinsbury, Capt. LAMBER, having arrived from the above ports, Consignments are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, To-day.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after 14th inst., will be subject to rent.

All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 14th inst., at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE, Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, May 7, 1903. 996

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER VALETTA.

FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

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Goods not cleared by the 15th May, at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

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E. A. HEWITT, Superintendent.

Hongkong, May 8, 1903. 1007

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Hongkong, May 7, 1903. 993

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DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF NEW IRON, METAL, & STEEL for ENGINEERING WORK.

STEEL BOILER-PLATES, COPPER PIPES, GAS TUBING, ANCHORS & CHAINS, STEEL TYES AND JOISTS.

Hongkong, January 4, 1902. 95

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## Banks.

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £1,000,000.

PAID UP CAPITAL, £324,374.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

Board of Directors: CHAN KIT SHAN, Esq., J. SCOTT HARTSON, Esq., CHOW TUNG SHANG, Esq., J. LAUREN, Esq., Chief Manager: GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Interest for 12 months fixed ... 5%.

Hongkong, May 12, 1903. 117

THE MERCHANTS BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £1,500,000.

PAID UP CAPITAL, £1,250,000.

RESERVE FUND, £50,000.

BANKERS: LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.

On Fixed Deposits: For 12 months ... 4%.

For 6 months ... 3%.

For 3 months ... 2%.

EVAN ORMISTON, Acting Manager.

Hongkong, April 1, 1902. 234

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED 1859.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED ... Yen 24,000,000.

CAPITAL PAID-UP ... Yen 18,000,000.

CAPITAL UNPAID ... Yen 6,000,000.

RESERVE FUND ... Yen 9,000,000.

HEAD OFFICE—YOKOHAMA.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES: LONDON, KOBÉ, NAGASAKI, LYONS, NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO, HONGKONG, BOMBAY, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, NEWCHANG, PEKING.

LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, Limited, Part's Bank, Limited, The Union of London and Smiths Bank, Limited.

HONGKONG BRANCH—Interest allowed. On Current Account at the Rate of 2% per annum on the daily balance.

On fixed deposits for 12 months, 5% per annum.

On fixed deposits for 6 months, 4% per annum.

On fixed deposits for 3 months, 3% per annum.

TARO HODSUMI, Manager.

Hongkong, March 12, 1903. 539

IMPERIAL BANK OF CHINA.

ESTABLISHED BY IMPERIAL DECREE ON THE 12th NOVEMBER, 1895.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, ... Tls. 5,000,000.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, ... Tls. 2,500,000.

HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES: CANTON, PEKING, HANKOW, CHEKIANG, SINGAPORE, CHONGKING, TIENTSIN, HANKOW.

THE BANK PURCHASES and receives for Collection Bills of Exchange drawn on the above places, and Sells Drafts and Telegraphic Transfers Payable at its Branches and Agencies.

HONGKONG BRANCH. Advances made on approved securities. Bills Discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at the Rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.

On Fixed Deposits for 3 Months ... 2%.

For 6 months ... 1%.

For 12 months ... 5%.

E. W. RUTTER, Manager.

Hongkong, January 18, 1901. 1970

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, ... \$10,000,000.

RESERVE FUND, ... \$10,000,000.

STARTING RESERVE, \$10,000,000.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF, ... \$10,000,000.

PROPRIETORS: COURT OF DIRECTORS:—A. J. RAYMOND, Esq., Chairman.

H. E. TOMKINS, Esq., Deputy Chairman.

G. BALCH, Esq., C. MICHAEL, Esq., Hon. C. W. DICKSON, Esq., H. SCHUBART, Esq., E. GOZG, Esq., E. SHELLIN, Esq., G. H. MEDHURST, Esq., Hon. M. SHEWAN, Esq., N. A. SIBBS, Esq., CHIEF MANAGER:—J. R. M. SMITH, MANAGER:—H. M. BEVIS.

LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING CO., LD.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits: For 3 months ... 2% per annum.

For 6 months ... 1%.

For 12 months ... 5%.

J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, March 26, 1903. 366

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 1, 1900. 1517

## Banks.

GUARANTY TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK (AMERICAN BANK). Established 1864.

PAID UP CAPITAL ... U.S. \$2,000,000 Gold.

SURPLUS AND UNDIVIDED PROFITS, ... 5,180,000 Gold.

U.S. \$7,180,000 Gold.

HEAD OFFICE—NEW YORK.

LONDON OFFICE: 33 & 35 Lombard Street E.C. F. O. BISHOP, Manager Eastern Dept.

LONDON BANKERS: PARRE'S BANK, LIMITED.

HONGKONG OFFICE: 4, DES VUEUX ROAD.

General Banking and Exchange business transacted.

INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Accounts at 2% per annum.

On Fixed Deposits: For 3 months ... 2% per annum.

For 6 months ... 3%.

For 12 months ... 4%.

E. F. GROS, Acting Manager.

Hongkong, December 1, 1902. 1361

INTERNATIONAL BANKING CORPORATION.

HEAD OFFICE—NEW YORK.

FISCAL AGENTS FOR THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IN CHINA AND THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

CAPITAL PAID IN, ... \$4,000,000.

SURPLUS (RESERVE) GOLD, ... \$4,000,000.

TOTAL, ... GOLD \$8,000,000.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS AUTHORIZED, GOLD \$10,000,000.

LONDON BANKERS: National Provincial Bank of England, Ltd. The Union of London and Smiths Bank, Limited.

THE Corporation buys and sells Bills of Exchange, issues Letters of Credit and carries on every description of Banking and Exchange business. Money received on Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balances, and on Fixed Deposit as follows: For 12 months, 4% per annum.

For 6 months



### Vessels Advertised as Loading.

## Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

1. *Journal of the American Medical Association*, 1997; 278: 1039-1044.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked *h.*, near the Kowloon shore *k.*, and those in the body of the Shipping and Dock Company's anchorage *c.* In conjunction with the letters denoting the sections.

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to facilitate landing and passing of goods to and from the island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked *h*, near the Kowloon shore *k*, and those in the middle of the bay *m*. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked *h*, near the Kowloon shore *k*, and those in the middle of the bay *m*. In conjunction with the buoys defining the sections.

**Section.**

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.
3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's to the Market.
5. From the Market to Pedlar's Wharf.
6. From Pedlar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

**Section.**

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Building.
8. From Blue Building to East Point.
9. From East Point to North Point.
10. From North Point to Kowloon Wharves.
11. Jardine's Wharf.

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Kameu	3	Baddeley	Ger.	str.	1115	May	11	Butterfield & Swire			
Kong-mat	3	Schunior	Ger.	str.	1211	May	13	Melchers & Co.			
Wu-sh-chang	3	Springer	Ger.	str.	1215	May	10	Butterfield & Swire			
Lo-seng	3	Hooker	British	str.	1032	May	7	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		S'pore & Calcutta	May 1
Lu-sang	5	Courtney	British	str.	2162	May	13	David Sassoon & Co., Ltd.			
Lightning	5	Spence	British	str.	2235	May	6	Jardine, Matheson & Co.			
Lok-sang	3	Leak	Ger.	str.	1249	May	12	Siemssen & Co.		Manila	May 1
Loong-moon	3	Schulz	Ger.	str.	1092	May	11	Jardine, Matheson & Co.			
Lo-seng	3	Weigall	British	str.	1092	May	11	Butterfield & Swire			
Loo-sok	3	Louss	Ger.	str.	1020	May	9	Oruka Shosen Kaisha		Swatow & Auping	May 1
Maizuru Maru	3	Saito	Japan.	str.	1267	Mar.	30	Oruka Shosen Kaisha			K'loon
Montana	3	Curran	Amor.	str.	222	Mar.	30	Oruka Shosen Kaisha			
Perla	3	McGillivray	British	str.	1284	May	12	Shewan, Tomes & Co.			
Pan Chai Choon Maru	3	McGillivray	British	str.	1012	May	9	Butterfield & Swire			
Rosetta Maru	4	Behn	Ger.	str.	1012	May	12	Shewan, Tomes & Co.		Manila	May 1
San Joaquin	4	Fate	Japan.	str.	2402	May	12	Shewan, Tomes & Co.			K'loon
Saxonia	3	Amor.	str.	1267	Mar.	30	Oruka Shosen Kaisha				
Shakano Maru	2	Fujita	Japan.	str.	3123	May	13	Hamburg-America Linie			
Shanghai	2	Fujita	Japan.	str.	3128	May	10	Rant Asiatic Trading Co.		S'pore & London	May 1
Shantung	3	Spencer	British	str.	2101	May	12	P. & O. S. N. Co.			
Sirhan	3	Engelhardt	Ger.	str.	1004	May	12	G. M. S. N. Co.			
Tai-chow	3	Jones	British	str.	1201	May	4	Bradley & Co.			
Tai-sung	3	Schulzen	British	str.	862	May	7	Butterfield & Swire			
Thos	4	Baker	Ger.	str.	977	April	28	Jardine, Matheson & Co.			
Totenham	3	Oberlich	Ger.	str.	944	May	12	Jelissen & Co.			
Tyr	3	Potom.	British	str.	2943	May	9	Oruka Shosen Kaisha			
Wingsang	3	Danielsen	Norw.	str.	1418	May	11	Shewan, Tomes & Co.			
Wosang	3	Sallar	British	str.	1517	May	5	Jardine, Matheson & Co.			
Yunnan	3	Johns	British	str.	1227	May	12	Jardine, Matheson & Co.			
Yunnan	3	Benson	British	str.	1206	May	9	Butterfield & Swire			
Yunnan	3	Pratt	Chi.	str.	1079	May	13	C. M. S. N. Co.			

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Shipping Vessels.					
Chillanor	9 c	R. 4-m. bk.	2197	Standard Oil Co.	
Columbia	10	Sprague	772	Butterfield & Swire	
Dharwar	8	Clarson	562	12 Jardine, Matheson & Co	
Grosvener	2	Elboga	1250	June 13	Dror
Grosvener	2	Coburns	1250	Standard Oil Co.	
Holmsworth	3	Knight	1084	Feb. 23	Gilman & Co.
Hollisworth	3	Burch	1257	April 23	Standard Oil Co.
Kantner	2	R. 4-m. bk.	2150	May 10	Dror
Pierre Antoine	2	Retegne	1250	May 10	Sander, Wiedor & Co.
Vale of Doon	2 k	Pedersen	869		

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Year.	Vessels.	Agents.	D.
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Australasia Ports, &c.	Kasuga Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	May 20, Daylight
Bremen, &c.	Roon (s)	Melchers & Co.	June 25,
Bremen, &c.	Stuttgart (s)	Melchers & Co.	June 11,
Bremen, &c.	Preussen (s)	Melchers & Co.	July 9,
Cebu & Iloilo	Zieten (s)	Melchers & Co.	May 27,
H'bu, P'men & H'bung	Kwiyang (s)	Butterfield & Swire	May 18,
Havna and Hamburg	Saxonia (s)	Hamburg-Arka Linie	May 14,
Kobe	Changsha (s)	Butterfield & Swire	May 15,
Kobe & Yokohama	Birgo Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	May 22, daylight
Kobe, N'ki & Wotoko	Sayon (s)	Hamburg-Arka Linie	May 21, Daylight
Liverpool v Genoa	Agamemnon (s)	Butterfield & Swire	June 12,
Liverpool	Yvona (s)	Butterfield & Swire	June 12,
London, &c.	Bengal (s)	P & O S. N. Co.	May 23, at noon
London	Patroclus (s)	Butterfield & Swire	May 25,
London	Calchas (s)	Butterfield & Swire	June 4,
Manila	Rosetta Maru (s)	Topik & Co.	May 11,
Manila	Zoroaster (s)	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	May 18, at 10 a
Manila	Rubi (s)	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	May 23, at 10 a
Manila	Sungkiang (s)	Butterfield & Swire	May 20,
Manila	Tainan (s)	Butterfield & Swire	May 22,
Maaila	Loomang (s)	Jacobs, Matheson & Co.	May 19, at 4 p
Matraselles via Saigon	Caladonian (s)	Messageries Maritimes	May 19, at 4 p
Marselles & Antwerp	Tantalus (s)	Butterfield & Swire	May 21,
Moratu, Adin, A'erp, &c.	Wakasa Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	May 16, Daylight
Moji, Kobe & Y'hama	Dombay Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	May 20, at noon
N'saki, Kobe & Y'hama	Kumano Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	May 24, at noon
New York v. Suez Canal	Seagull (s)	British India Line	May 20, at noon
New York v. Suez Canal	Szechuan (s)	Doewell & Co., Ltd.	About June 1
New York v. Suez Canal	Suzumi (s)	Doewell & Co., Limited	About May 27
New York v. Suez Canal	Pornbrokshire (s)	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	May 18,
New York v. Suez Canal	Normales Isles (s)	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	June 14,
New York via Port	Rubia (s)	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	May 18,
Orlando and Portland, Or	Albatross (s)	Butterfield & Swire	May 18,
Prang & Sourabaya	Foolchow (s)	Butterfield & Swire	May 15,
Shanghai	Yunnan (s)	Butterfield & Swire	May 16,
Shanghai	Chusan (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About May 7
Shai, Y'm & Kobe	Oceanian (s)	Passengerias Maritimes	About May 7
Shai and Portland, Or	Indrapura (s)	Portland & A. S. Co.	May 22,
Shai and Portland, Or	Indramasha (s)	Portland & A. S. Co.	May 14,
S'pore, Pang, Calcutta	Laisang (s)	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	May 14, at t
S'pore, Pang, C'bo &c	China (s)	Sanier, Wieler & Co.	May 19, pm
S'pore, Pang, Calcutta	Lightning (s)	Siemens & Co.	May 20, at 10 a
S'tow, Amoy & F'ching	Madzuru Maru (s)	Oauka Shosen Kaisha	May 16,
S'tow, Amoy & P'ng	Anping Maru (s)	Oauka Shosen Kaisha	May 20,
S'tow, Amoy & Tamsui	Dajin Maru (s)	Oauka Shosen Kaisha	May 24,
San F'isco via Japan	Lothian (s)	China Com. S. Co., Ltd.	May 23,
Vancouver (B.C.)	Empress of Asia (s)	Canadian Pacific R. Co.	May 28,
Vancouver (B.C.)	Empress of Canada (s)	Canadian Pacific R. Co.	May 28,
Vancouver (B.C.)	Empress of China (s)	Canadian Pacific R. Co.	June 3,
Victoria, B.C., Seattle	Iyo Maru (s)	Nippon Yusen Kaisha	May 19, at
Victoria, B.C., Tacoma	Shawmut (s)	Doewell & Co., Limited	May 30,
Y'me, Shanghai, M'oi, Kobe	Y'me Maru (s)	P. & O. F. N. Co.	About May
Y'me, Shanghai, M'oi, Kobe	Moraya (s)	Sander, Wieler & Co.	May 18, p

May 18, 1903.

	Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid up.	Closing Market Price.
	<b>BANKS.</b>				1670
	Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	80,000	\$	125	all
	National Bank of China, Limited	19,970	£	10	£ 8
		28,985	£	10	£ 8
		750	£	1	£ 1
	<b>Do. Founders' shares</b>				
	<b>MARINE INSURANCE.</b>				
	Canton Insurance Office Co., Ltd.	10,000	\$	250	\$ 50
	China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd.	24,000	£	88.33	£ 25
	North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.	5,000	£	100	£ 25
	Straits Insurance Co., Ltd.	80,000	£	100	£ 20
	Union Insurance Society, Ltd.	16,000	£	250	£ 100
	Yangtze Insurance Association, Ltd.	8,000	£	100	£ 60
	<b>FIRE INSURANCE.</b>				
	China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	£	100	£ 283
	Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	£	250	£ 50
	<b>DOCKS, ETC.</b>				
	H'kong & Whampoa Dock Co. Ltd.	50,000	£	50	all
	Geo. Fenwick & Co. Limited	8,000	£	25	£ 25
	New Anson Dock Co., Ltd.	6,000	£	64	£ 64
	S. C. Fernham, Boyd & Co. Ltd.	55,700	Tls.	100	Tls. 100
	<b>REFRIGERATION.</b>				
	Chang & Manilla S. S. Co., Ltd.	20,000	£	50	£ 50
	Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	10,000	£	50	£ 25
	Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited	80,000	£	15	£ 15
	Star Ferry Company, Ltd.	10,000	£	10	£ 10
	Shanghai Transport & Trading Co., Ltd.	2,000	Tls.	100	Tls. 100
	Shanghai Lighter Co., Ltd.	8,600	Tls.	50	Tls. 50
	Shanghai Cargo Boat Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tls.	100	Tls. 100
	Co-operative Cargo Boat Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tls.	100	Tls. 100
	<b>REFINERIES.</b>				
	China Sugar Company, Limited	20,000	£	100	£ 110
	Luzon Sugar Company, Limited	7,000	£	100	£ 112
	Pork Sugar Cultivation Co., Ltd.	7,000	Tls.	50	Ts 50
	<b>WHAVER.</b>				
	H.K. & Kow, Wharf & Godown Co.	80,000	£	50	all
	Shanghai and Hongkong Wharf Co., Ltd.	20,100	Tls.	100	Tls. 100
	<b>LAND AND BUILDING.</b>				
	East-Asiatic Land Investment and Building Co., Ltd.	50,000	£	100	£ 100
	Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd.	39,000	Tls.	50	Ts. 50
	Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd.	6,000	£	50	£ 50
	<b>TELEGRAPH.</b>				
	Wei-hai-wei Land & Building Co., Ltd.	3,784	Tls.	25	Ts. 25
	Humphreys & Co., Ltd.	100,000	£	10	£ 10
	West Point Building Co., Limited	12,500	£	50	£ 50
	<b>TRAMWAYS.</b>				
	H.K. High-Level Tramways Co., Ltd.	1,250	£	100	all
	<b>MINEING.</b>				
	J. Chu Mining & Trading Co., Ltd.	80,000	£	5	£ 5
	New Nanyang Mining Co., Ltd.	30,000	£	11	£ 10
	Preference shares.	30,000	£	1	all
	Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin.	18,000	Fcs.	250	all
	Hong Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	500,000	£	1	£ 1
	<b>HOTELS.</b>				
	Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.	12,000	£	50	all
	Oriente Hotel, Manila.	7,000	£	50	£ 50
	Astor House Hotel Ltd. (Tientsin).	2,000	Tls.	50	Ts. 50
	Astor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (S'ha)	80,000	£	25	£ 25
	<b>DISPENSARIES.</b>				
	A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	60,000	£	10	£ 10
	Watkins Limited	10,000	£	10	£ 10
	<b>MORTGAGE.</b>				
	H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited	7,000	£	10	£ 10
	Shanghai Gas Company, Ltd.	8,000	Tls.	50	Ts. 50
	Hongkong Electric Co., Limited	30,000	£	10	£ 10
	New Electric (S'ha) Co., Limited	30,000	£	10	£ 10
	<b>BRICKS AND CEMENT.</b>				
	Green Island Cement Co., Ltd.	50,000	£	10	£ 10
	<b>MISCELLANEOUS.</b>				
	Beila Asbestos Eastors Agency, Ltd.	8,000	£	12/6	£ 12/6
	U. S. Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited	10,000	£	10	£ 10
	Hongkong Bakery Company, Ltd.	800	£	50	£ 50
	Hk. Steam Water-boat Co., Ltd.	10,000	£	75	all
	Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Ltd.	5,000	£	25	all
	Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	7,000	£	25	all
	Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd.	7,000	£	25	all
	Lebrau Planting Company, Ltd.	20,000	£	10	all
	H'kong Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	£	10	all
	Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	17,000	Tls.	100	Tls. 100
	Ing Co., Ltd.	10,000	Tls.	75	Ts. 75
	International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tls.	100	Tls. 100
	Laou-Kung Mow Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	2,000	Tls.	500	Ts. 500
	Key One Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	50,000	£	10	£ 10
	<b>CO. OF LAND.</b>				
	China Borneo Company, Ltd.	80,000	£	15	£ 15
	Universal Trading Co., Ltd.	4,000	£	50	£ 50
	Robinson Piano Co., Ltd.	1,200	£	10	all
	Campbell, Messers & Co., Ltd.	12,000	£	10	£ 10
	Wm. P. Morgan, Limited	12,000	£	10	£ 10
	<b>CIGAR COMPANIES.</b>				
	Philippine Tobacco Trust Co., Ltd.	50,000	£	50	£ 50
	A. Hamble Limited	200	£	500	£ 500
	<b>LOAN.</b>				
	Chinese Imperial 1886	787,900	Tls.	500	Ts. 500
	<b>VERNON AND SMITH, Share.</b>				
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